25-26 OCT 03 0700 FORMATION

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"FIRST IN SUPPORT"

COMMANDER'S CORNER

GOOD LUCK QUALIFING



HAPPY BIRTHDAY OCT 2003

CSM WAGNER, R 6th SFC DELLAVELLA, J. 4th SFC TROY, W. 18th SFC GIANCOLA, C. 29th SSG LAFRANCE, D. 15th SPC OKIGBO, S. 15th SPC HUGHES, J. 19th 5^{tth} PFC RUEDA, O. 13th SPC WIECZOREK, M. 17th PFC ABRAMSON, P.



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SSG LIRIANO— READINESS NCO

NCOER'S- 4100's- NCOER's for E7-E9 are due this 26 Oct 03. 4100's for E7 & E8 are also due. Soldiers requiring Physicals contact SSG Liriano to schedule appointments.

Everyone needs to verify their information on the unit ALERT roster.



TRAINING

25–26 Oct 03 - M16 Range (Enlisted) 9MM Range Officers.

15 Nov 03 - APFT Test.

15 Nov 03 EQRB Review Ft Dix.

S-1 SECTION — SFC TAYLOR

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RETENTION – SGT CLARKE

THE FOLLOWNG SOLDIERS NEED TO VISIT RETENTION:

SGT BENNETT SPC NEWTON SPC MERKERSON SSG FORD SGT RUSSER SFC GIANCOLA SSG MAURO PFC PATEL SPC FLORES-GONZALEZ

If your ETS date is within a 180 days, please visit the Retention Office.

IF YOU ARE FLAGGED FOR WEIGHT OR APFT AND YOUR ETS IS APPROACHING. REENLISTING.COULD BE A PROBLEM!!!!

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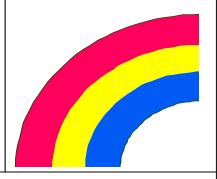
FROM THE DIAMOND

This Drill weekend is a (MUTA 4) with formation starting at 0700 hrs. Uniform is LBE and Helmet. Bring rain gear for overnight stay at Ft Dix. Convoy will depart Somerset at 0800hrs, to Range 23 for M16 Zero & Qualification. BIVOC area 3A & 3B.

POV'S only if approved by Commander. Beret & Soft Caps will not be worn. Vender meals will be provided. The 2004 EQRB is scheduled for 15 Nov 03. Start now to complete your EQRB Folders, with special attention to completion of Physicals, NCOER's and APFT. Start your letter to the Board on "Why you should be retained."

LET'S GET PREPARED!!

Admin Night - Every Wednesday prior to the Drill a representative from every section is required to attend.



MAINTANCE-SFC McKay

Section Sergeants verify your soldier's military license. See Motor Sergeant if you have any questions.

MISCELLANEOUS

All soldiers are required to be assigned an AKO Account. Follow the instructions at (www.us.army.mil/portal_home.jhtml).

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Military Pay questions?(http://www.dfas.mil).

Need help writing ncoer's? (http://ncoer.com).

Military Uniform questions?(www.aafes.com).

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WELCOME SGT CLARKE AS THE NEW CO-EDITOR.

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